

Hard Hit.

The Republican fishers for votes were hard hit by the President's unexpected message.

The Republican Senators expected by rejecting the Fisheries Treaty to leave the question open and to make party capital out of the outrages on American fishermen and the pusillanimous attitude of the administration.

While the treaty was pending it would have been as improper for President Cleveland to employ or to suggest retaliation against Canada as it would have been for President Grant while the Treaty of Washington was being negotiated to urge reprisals against British vessels for damages done by the Alabama.

There was no bluster in his message. He appealed to no prejudice. He indulged in no fiction. In a grave and dignified manner he pointed out the only remedy left to the Government, and asked for authority to apply it, upon occasion, in a manner that would be efficacious.

Adding to the Roll.

The list of prominent business men of Philadelphia, hitherto staunch Republicans, but who have become convinced of the necessity of Tariff Reform, increases daily.

Edward Lewis, of the Board of Education, who says he was a Republican before the Republican party was organized, is not in harmony with the Chicago platform, and is seriously considering the matter of casting a Democratic ballot.

Infection from Old Books.

A good deal of discussion having taken place in England on the subject of the spread of infectious diseases by means of the books in circulating libraries, the Dresden municipal authorities have had a thorough experimental investigation of this question conducted.

For against the advocate of cheap labor.

The Population of Bellefonte.

Is about 5,000 and we would say at least one half are troubled with some affection of the Throat and Lungs, at those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others.

Tax Reform—Advance!

It is a matter of little moment to the country whether President Cleveland or General Harrison shall be chosen President in November, so far as the character and qualifications of the candidates are involved.

Which should be elected? There is one supreme issue involved in the contest, and both sides have met it manfully. Grover Cleveland demands the reduction of war taxes upon the necessities of life and upon the raw materials necessary for our industries to a standard that will furnish sufficient revenue for the government economically administered.

The issue is simply one tax reform, and it appeals to every citizen of every section and of every condition. It is an issue that has been forced upon Congress by the people; it was forced upon both parties four years ago and was given pledges by both which are yet unfulfilled.

The issue of tax reform requires no apology, no hesitation, no ambiguous expression. It is an issue that calls for any earnest and aggressive advance of its supporters.

The people have groaned under high war taxes for half a generation after they had ceased to be a necessity, and to-day they are taxed full \$80,000,000 annually that the government cannot expend.

Our manufacturers are crippled and our American labor ill paid because of the extortionate war taxes continued on the raw materials needed for our products.

As a rule, every champion of high war taxes appears before his audience clad in English garments, to demand high taxes for the protection of our woolen industries.

And why should every table be taxed for the salt upon it? And why should every home be taxed for the lumber in it? And why should every kitchen and every workman's dinner pail be taxed for the tin in it?

With such an issue and such a cause, there is but one order to be given along the whole line before the whole people. It is—tax reform, advance.

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